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FOR DAN SPIEGEL WITH THE SECRETARY'S PARTY

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TAGS: UN, SHUM, CI

SUBJECT: APPOINTMENT WITH SECRETARY VANCE

REF: GENEVA 3799

1. DEPT DOES NOT (REPEAT NOT) RECOMMEND THAT SECRETARY  
SCHEDULE APPOINTMENT WITH GHULAM ALI ALLANA, CHAIRMAN OF  
THE UN HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION AD HOC WORKING GROUP ON  
CHILE, AS REQUESTED REFTEL. DEPT AGREES WITH MISSION  
COMMENT THAT APPOINTMENT WOULD NOT BE AN EFFICIENT USE OF  
SECRETARY'S TIME IN VIEW OF HIS ALREADY CROWDED SCHEDULE.

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2. SINCE THE BEGINNING OF HIS SERVICE AS CHAIRMAN OF THE  
AD HOC WORKING GROUP, ESTABLISHED BY THE UN HUMAN RIGHTS  
COMMISSION (HRC) IN FEBRUARY 1975, ALLANA HAS HAD REGULAR  
CONTACT WITH RESPONSIBLE U.S. GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS. THESE  
HAVE INCLUDED THE U.S. REPRESENTATIVES TO THE HRC IN 1975  
AND 1976 AND THE DEPUTY U.S. PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVE TO  
THE UNITED NATIONS. LAST REPORTED CONTACT WAS MEETING

BETWEEN DEPUTY U.S. REPRESENTATIVE BENNETT AND ALLANA ON  
NOVEMBER 3, 1976.

3. REFTTEL NOTES THAT ALLANA HAS REQUESTED APPOINTMENT IN  
ORDER TO BRIEF THE SECRETARY ON HUMAN RIGHTS IN CHILE.

DEPT WONDERS WHAT OF SIGNIFICANCE ALLANA COULD DISCUSS  
WITH THE SECRETARY WHICH WOULD ADD TO OUR KNOWLEDGE OF  
THE CHILEAN HUMAN RIGHTS SITUATION SINCE RECEIPT OF THE  
LATEST REPORT OF ALLANA'S WORKING GROUP. THIS LATEST  
REPORT WAS PRESENTED TO THE HRC IN MARCH OF THIS YEAR.  
REPORT CONVEYED COMPLETE ACCOUNT OF HUMAN RIGHTS SITUATION  
IN CHILE FROM POINT OF VIEW OF WORKING GROUP. DUE TO  
REPORTED ILLNESS ALLANA WAS NOT PRESENT AT 1977 HRC. THE  
RESOLUTION ADOPTED AT THAT COMMISSION SESSION ON MARCH 9,  
WHICH WAS CO-SPONSORED BY THE U.S., PROVIDES FOR THE  
EXTENSION OF THE MANDATE OF THE AD HOC WORKING GROUP FOR  
ANOTHER YEAR, WITH ALLANA CONTINUING AS CHAIRMAN. HRC  
RESOLUTION ALSO INCORPORATED SEVERAL SUGGESTIONS FOR  
FURTHER ACTION WHICH WE KNOW FROM CONVERSATIONS HELD LAST  
FALL WERE PERSONALLY FAVORED BY ALLANA. DEPT WOULD CON-  
SIDER FURTHER HIGH LEVEL CONTACTS WITH ALLANA TO BE OF MORE  
PURPOSE AFTER ALLANA AND HIS WORKING GROUP HAVE HAD MORE  
TIME TO WORK ON THEIR RENEWED MANDATE.

4. DEPT SUGGESTS THAT IN REPLYING TO UN HUMAN RIGHTS  
DIVISION DIRECTOR VAN BOVEN MISSION NOTE OUR APPRECIATION  
FOR ALLANA'S INTEREST IN BRIEFING THE SECRETARY, REGRET  
THAT SHORTNESS OF TIME DOES NOT PERMIT ARRANGEMENT OF AN  
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APPOINTMENT, AND EXPRESS THE HOPE THAT ALLANA WILL  
CONTINUE TO MAINTAIN HIS CONTACTS WITH OUR REPRESENTATIVES  
ON THE HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION OR WITH OTHER OFFICIALS OF  
OUR UN MISSIONS EITHER IN GENEVA OR IN NEW YORK. IF  
ALLANA HAS ANYTHING OF IMMEDIATE MOMENT TO PASS TO  
SECRETARY, CHARGE SHOULD INVITE HIM IN PROMPTLY AND  
UNDERTAKE TO RELAY IT TO SECRETARY. CHRISTOPHER

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